THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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NECESSITY FOR THE EMERGENCY HOSPITAL ENDED ON MONDAY

Splendid Record Made During Its Existence of Five Weeks

TOTAL OF 187 PATIENTS TREATED

After an existance of five weeks the emergency hospital of Charleroi was permanently closed Monday afternoon. During the past week the number of patients rapidly declined owing to the passing of the influenza and on Monday morning all of the patients but one were able to leave the institution for their respective homes. Arrangements were made with the Charleroi-Monessen hospital to take care of this one patient, who is on the way to a rapid recovery, and she was removed to that institution Monday afternoon.

The emergency hospital was first opened in the Eagle's Home, McKean avenue, the latter part of October, but the high school building which afforded more conveniences was offered and taken, the patients being removed to the new location on the 11th of November.

During the period the hospital was in existance a total of 187 patients were treated, of whom 30 died, the death rate being 16 per cent. The greatest number of patients in the hospital at one time was 70, while at one time there were 24 children in the children's ward. There were also three births at the hospital.

Seven registered nurses were employed at one time at the hospital, as well as a number of assistants which made it possible for the institution to take care of so many urgency cases during the height of the epidemic.

The high school building is being fumigated today and during the week the janitors will begin a systematic cleaning, in order to have everything in good shape by the time of school opening day, which is now scheduled for the 30th of December. The hospital equipment, of which there is quite a supply, will be turned over to the local Board of Health, and it will be stored for future emergencies.

The hospital board will meet some time this week to settle up the financial affairs of the institution. All bills have been asked for, and the board may be able to give a complete list of the receipts and expenditures within a very short time.

In closing the institution Prof. Pollock, who was civilian manager, speaking for the board, wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the assistance given not only by the volunteers but by the professional attendants as well. It was only through the harmonious workings of all who took an interest that the hospital proved not only so successful, but such a blessing to the entire community.

If you want your money's worth come first to Ewald's Jewelry Store, 409 Fallowfield Ave. 152-t1

NEW COAL OPENING ON THE MONONGAHELA

The Winstead Coal company received a Federal permit on Monday to construct a coal ripple, three ice breakers and four dolphins on the right bank of the Monongahela river, about 2,400 feet above Lock No. 8, near Point Marion, on the Fayette county side of the river. This is another coal development in the upper pools of the river which will add considerably to the tonnage of the Monongahela during the coming spring and summer.

RESULTS MAY BE STARTLING

No Arrests Yet Made in the Shooting Affray at Monessen

HUNTING FOR THE MURDERER

No arrests have been made for the murder of Alexander Vought, who was acting as a plain clothes man on the Monessen police force which occurred Saturday night last. As a consequence an inquest looking into the details of the affair are being held over by Deputy Coroner M. E. Griffith until such time as an arrest is made. He chaaracterizes the murder as a cold blooded and dastardly act and one which should be met with the extreme punishment of the guilty party.

As a result of this murder there is a determined spirit on the part of the State Police to ferret out and arrest the murderer and every clue is being followed. Locally t hey are being assisted by the members of the Pittsburg Steel company force, although it is said that the members of the Monessen police force are taking no part in the hunt for the murderer.

Since the shooting of Vought some peculiar features have come to light At the Monday morning hearing held by Burgess Stewart, it is said that a prisoner arrested by Vought ten minutest before he was shot and placed in the lockup Saturday night, was not present Monday morning, although he was seen in the lockup Sunday morning. This man's name is John Magonian a Russian.

It is also averred that a man who had been arrested and locked up for running down and killing a pedestrian with a motor truck was released without authority by one of the Monessen borough police. This man was re-arrested by the Pittsburg Steel police and locked up. Another prisoner sent in by the Pittsburg Steel police for stealing a bicycle is said to have been released in like manner, and who made good his escape.

Rumor in Monessen this morning said that the authorities in charge of the investigation will take into custody one member of the Monessen police force and ask him to tell what he knows of the murder of Vought.

The State Police and others interested believe they will be able to arrest the man who did the shooting which resulted in the death of Vought. All of the State Police in Pennsylvania have been apprised of the murder and requested to be on the lookout for certain suspicious characters. Many of Monessen's citizens are ready to subscribe to a fund to offer a reward as well as to pay expenses leading to the arrest of the murdered.

Monessen citizens are very much agitated over the occurrence, and are expecting some startling developments within the next few d

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Anna B. Barcus.

Anna B. Barcus died at her home, 923 Crest avenue, Monday, December 2 at 9:30 a. m., aged 25 years. The funeral party left on the 12:47 train for Westfield, Pa., near Dubois, where funeral services will be held on Friday.

Follow the crowds to Berryman's, Charleroi's Big Christmas Store. Don't fail to bring the children to visit Toyland. 153t3

Brothers In Service Meet While in France

W. H. Robertson, of 422 Fallowfield avenue, received two letters a few days ago from his brothers, both of whom are with the American Expeditionary Forces in France. Recently the brothers met "over there" and immediately each wrote a letter to the folks back home to let them know of the occurrence. Floyd E. Robertson is with Battery C, Second Battalion, 136th Field Artillery, attached to the Fourth Army Corps, while Corporal C. A. Robertson is a member of Company A, 110th Infantry, Twenty-eighth Division, recently cited in general orders for bravery and gallantry in action. The letters are dated the 8th of November, "Somewhere Together," and are addressed to their mother. The folks are now anxiously waiting for the letters dated after the 11th of November. The letters are as follows—

From Floyd Robertson

A little surprise for you, as I have just a few hours ago surprised Arvi by wading through the mud and woods up here to the front line positions to pay him a short and unexpected visit. We are now sitting together talking and after reading over one another's letters and exchanging data, and relating experiences and getting acquainted again, we decided to write a little "joint letter" to you to let you know that we are both under one roof once more and that, too, a roof built exclusively for the benefit and comfort of the Germans, but as they had to vacate in a hurry, there is beaucoup benches to sit on and a table to write on. Well, I must not take up all the time as time is limited to the size of a candle which

From Arvi Robertson

I was surprised today as Floyd has told you, when I was wakened up by a fellow who told me that my brother was on his way to the front hunting me. I was out all night before on patrol and was trying to get a little sleep so I got up right away and started out to hunt him. I met him about half way up the line and sure was tickled to see him again. It has been about two years since I last saw him you know. The funny part of it was I had just read in the paper and saw the picture of two brothers who had met in France.

I was just waiting for our outfit to get relieved, so I could go and hunt him up, for I had heard he was around here somewhere, but he beat me to it. I have a notion to transfer to his outfit, for I think six months of infantry is enough. I imagine I would like the artillery, but don't know whether it would be possible to transfer or not.

We are going to sleep together tonight in my bunk, German made and plenty of cooties. Well, Mother, I guess I had better cut this off or we won't be able to get it in the envelope. Bye, bye, with love to all and best wishes. Your loving son,

Corp. C. A. Robertson

CALLED HERE BY PARENTS' DEATH

Friends in Charleroi have received word that Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Frye, of Bridgeport, Conn., have been called into this section by the death of Mr. Frye's mother and Mrs. Frye's father.

Mrs. Frye's father was I. K. Porter, of Claysville, Pa., who was well known in educational circles of this county, having been a teacher in the Claysville district for many years. The funeral services were held in Claysville today.

Mrs. Anna E. Frye, mother of Charles O. Frye, was born about 73 years ago at Lock No. 4, the youngest daughter of Thomas Frye, who lived on the homestead now known as the Coyle home. Her husband was Henry Frye, son of Col. Frye, who formerly lived in this section. The remains are being brought from the state of California to Indianapolis, where interment will take place. Mrs. Frye had many nieces and nephews here, who will regret to learn of her death. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Frye will come to Charleroi for a short visit with friends.

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COAL SHIPMENTS SHOW A BIG DECREASE FOR OCTOBER MONTH

Influenza Is Cited as Cause Of the Big Drop in Figures

BETTER RECORD LOOKED FOR

With October, 1918, being the banner month in the way of coal shipments through Lock No. 4, the figures for that month showing a total of 29,691,000 bushels, the Mail predicted even a much larger output for November. So many discouraging features, however pushed themselves in the way of progress that the expectations of the most sanguine of the river men were blasted, as the total shipments for the past month were only 22,671,000 bushels, a decrease of 7,044,000 bushels from the October record. This decrease was largely due to the prevalence of the influenza, not only in and about mining districts causing a shortage of labor at the various river colleries, but likewise invading the ranks of the steamboatmen, and cutting down the effective force to such an extent that towboats were badly handicapped. One instance will serve to show how the malady attacked boatmen, when it is known that a steamer was compelled to land at the local wharf and put off a pilot for treatment in the local emergency hospital.

No coke was shipped during the month of November, but this was not surprising, as the Carnegie Steel company, which had been making a feature of this product, has been using the raw coal for use at the new by-product coke ovens at Clairton. It is a question whether these shipments will be resumed again, owing to the heavy demands the Clairton plant will make on the mines for a supply of coal.

According to the report of Lockmaster Sweeney the shipments through Lock Four during the month were as follows:

Going down—Lockings 434, steamers 292, boats and barges 1320, coal 22,647,000 bushels, lumber 23,000 feet B. M., timber 10,000 cubic feet, other products 392 gross tons, other craft 29.

Going up—Lockages 417, steamers 284, boats and barges 1317, gravel 45,000 bushels, sand 34,000 bushels, lumber 35,000 feet board measure, Rainfall 1.96. Average stage of water 14.2.

One new steamer was added to the towing fleets, the Carnegie Steel company placing the W. H. Clingerman in service towing coal between the sixth pool and Clairton, while the Hillman, rebuilt after being sunk in the fifth pool, was also put back in service. Rivermen are hoping for a better record in December.

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DISCHARGED FROM UNITED STATES SERVICE

James B. Gallagher, who was a member of the Central Infantry Officers' Training School at Waco, Texas, arrived home Monday morning after being honorably discharged from the United States service. Seventeen days after war was declared between the United States and Germany he enlisted in the Regular Army, with which organization he has been for almost twenty months. Seventeen days after the signing of the armistice he was released from further military duty.

OFFICIALS ARE NAMED

Competent Men Chosen To Handle Football Game on Saturday

ALL CENTRAL BOARD OFFICERS

The following officials have been mutually agreed upon by the managers of the Monessen and Charleroi High school teams for the championship game to be played at the local park on Saturday next:

Referee—S. A. MacFarland of W. & J.

Umpire—Dan B. Dougherty W. & J.

Head Linesman and Timekeeper—Bela B. Smith of Lafayette.

Messrs. MacFarland and Dougherty are Pittsburg men, while Smith is from Connellsville.

The game is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p. m., as both teams wish to have the contest concluded before dark. It is expected the attraction will draw one of the largest crowds of the season, as both Charleroi and Monessen partisans have been anxious to see these teams in action against each other before the season closes.

The management of both teams believe they have taken every precaution against any disagreements that might arise, as all of the officials are Central Board Officers and are recommended as competent men.

Bring the children to Toyland, Santa Clause Headquarters. Berryman's. 153t3

Elizabeth Chalfant.

Elizabeth Chalfant died at her home, 700 Lookout avenue, Sunday, December 1, at 9:30 p. m., aged 57 years. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Rev. Huffer, with interment in Mt. Auburn cemetery, Fayette City.

Toyland is crowded every day. Better shop early and save the worry. Berryman's. 153t3

Majestic Theatre Today

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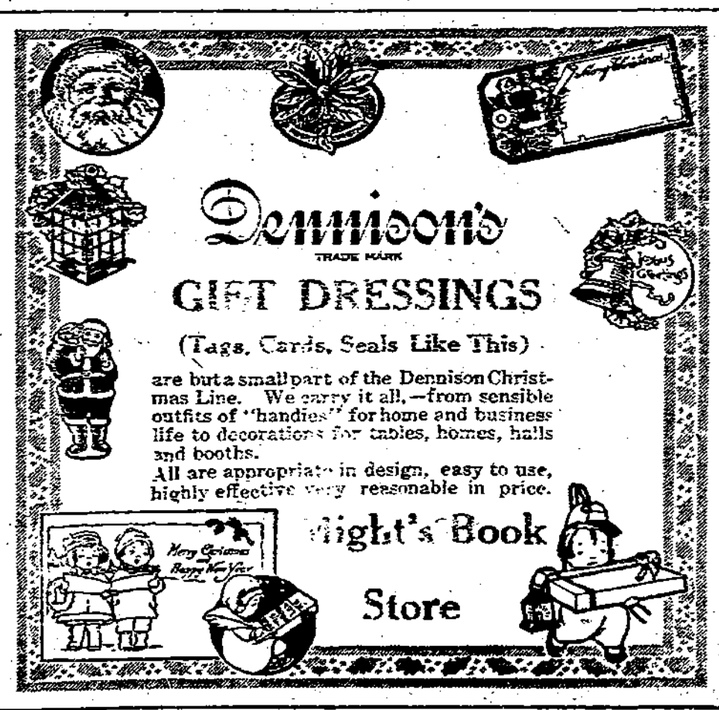
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THE OLD GUARD

When the National Guard of Pennsylvania was called into the service of the United States in July, 1917, the organization as a whole was looked upon by officers of the regular army as more of a political than a potent military factor. Taken to Camp Hancock in September of the same year it was kept in hard training for a period of eight months before it was permitted to "go over" to take part in the great campaigns under way on the western front. Many of the officers who entered the service with the old Guard were supplanted it is true, and no doubt these changes were for the good of the service, but events have proved that the quality of the fighting men in this splendid division was above reproach.

If there was any politics in the Guard it was not in the rank and file for the enlisted men were not only loyal and patriotic, but they were efficient as well. They not only trained with the greatest zeal, but when put to the supreme test in France, beginning on the 15th of July, they so conducted themselves as to win the unstinted approbation of the officers who were in position to observe. And this approbation came only after the men of the old Pennsylvania Guard had shown they possessed the gallantry and the stamina to stand up under the fiercest fighting possible, and to make gains against the best troops Germany possessed. The National Guard of Pennsylvania more than made in France, and the regular army officers have acknowledged this fact in a most courteous way.

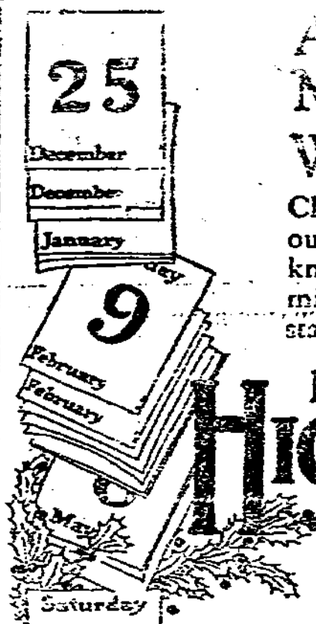
A MURDER OR AN ACCIDENT

The body of Sim Obrat, of West Brownsville, was picked up on the railroad embankment below the Stockdale station on Wednesday evening last. The marks on the man caused some suspicion as to how he came to his death. It was thought later that he was a member of the work train crew and that the foreman, William T. Sharp, had missed him from the train. The marks on his body did not seem to carry out the impression that he was killed by a train. On the contrary, his head seemed to have been almost severed and those who viewed the remains expressed the opinion that a cut across the throat was made by a sharp instrument. There was no testimony at hand to verify the suspicion that there had been a murder committed, other than that where he was found there was no trace of blood. The body was taken to Hancock's morgue at Roscoe and prepared for burial. Coroner Heffron is making an investigation. The deceased was a married man and is survived by his widow and six children who live in West Brownsville.

MUSICAL AUXILIARY HOLDS MEETING

The Musical Auxiliary to the Athene club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ralph Hickey on McKean avenue Monday evening. Mrs. Hickey was assisted in entertaining by Miss Emma Clutter. The following program was rendered by the members of the auxiliary. Song "June", Mrs. H. H. Beech. Elizabeth Frew; song "In Former Days" Chadwick. Ethel [illegible] paper. Cadman and Nevin, Mrs. Russel Blythe; piano solo, "Love Song," Nevin, Mrs. [illegible] piano solo, "India Love Song" Cadman, Mrs. Warren [illegible] paper. Echoes of Music Edmund Mrs. H. C. Robertson. Preceding the regular program Byron Steinbauch played two violin solos, "Cantilena" by J. Andre and Waltz by Conte.

A recuperative diet in influenza. Horlick's Malted Milk, very digestible.



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Six room house and vacant lot, $4200.

Five room house, Crest, $3000.

Six room and three room house, Maple Creek, $2000.

A. L. DUBINSKY
[illegible] avenue, Charleroi

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STOLEN—Taupe neckpiece, at a dance in Monongahela Wednesday evening Nov. 27. Party known. If same is not returned in due time prosecution will follow. 329 Mail office. 150-t6-p

LOST—Child's fur neck piece, Sunday morning between 2nd and 6th streets on McKean. Suitable reward if returned to I. P. Hepler's office. 152-t2-p

Miss Margaret Hackett of Meadow avenue, who has been spending the past week with her parents has returned to her work in the War Department at Washington, D. C.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In re estate of Lawrence Porigneaux, Deceased. In the Orphan's Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania. No. 27, November Term, 1918. A. A.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned having been appointed Auditor in the above entitled estate to audit, settle and adjust any and all exceptions which may be filed to the final account of the executor recorced at above Number and Term; to pass upon all claims against said estate; and to make distribution of the balance found to be in the executor's hands to and among those entitled thereto by the last will and testament of the said deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office at No. 511 Fallowfield avenue, in the Borough of Charleroi Washington county, Pennsylvania on Friday, the 27th day of December, 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested may appear if they so desire.

Hugh E. Fergus, Auditor.
D3-10-17

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Solomon Speers, deceased late of Borough of Speers.

Letters of administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

W. A. Michener, Administrator,
Belle Vernon, Pa.
Joseph C. Spriggs, Atty.
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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Mary Owens, late of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington Count, Pennsylvania.

Letters testamentary upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Benjamin Owens,
Thomas Owens, Jr.,
Executors, Charleroi, Pa.,
Guy Moffitt, Atty.
N-5-12-19-26-D-3-10

Executors Notice.

Estate of Neri Newcomb, deceased, late of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington county, Pa.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted unto the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to Mrs. Anna C. Newcomb, 519 East 10th Avenue, Tarentum, Pa.
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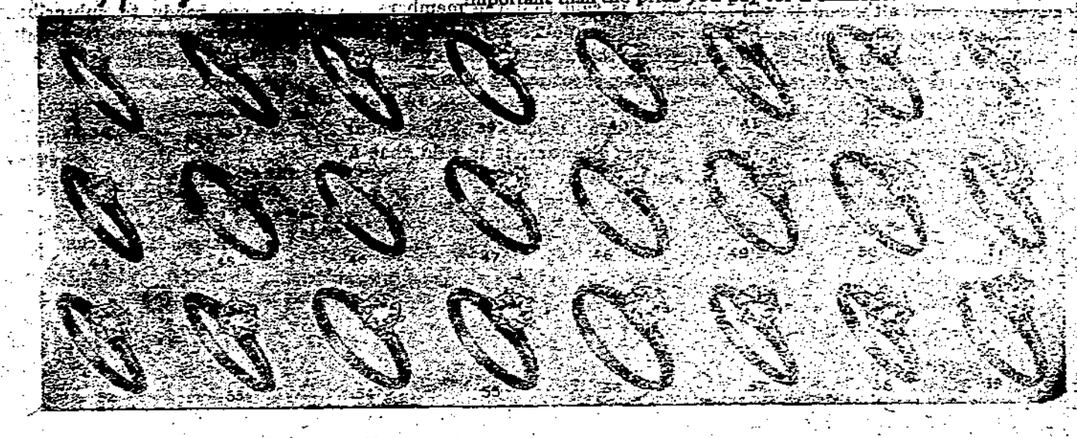

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Toyland Now Open

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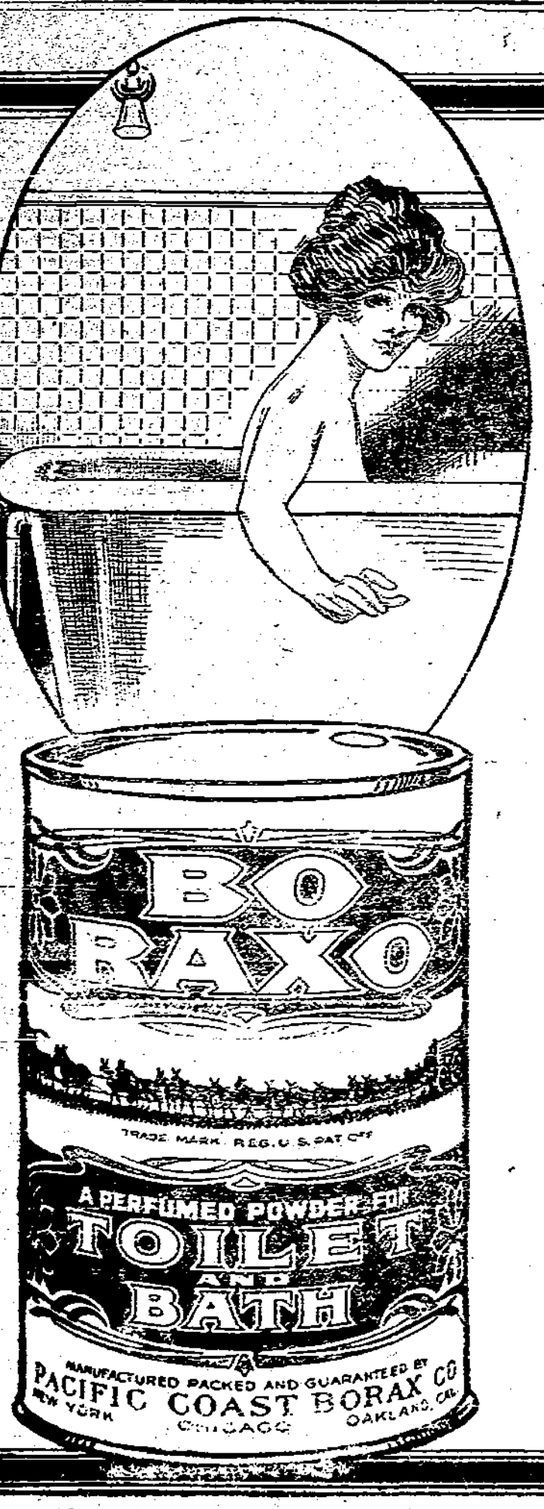
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